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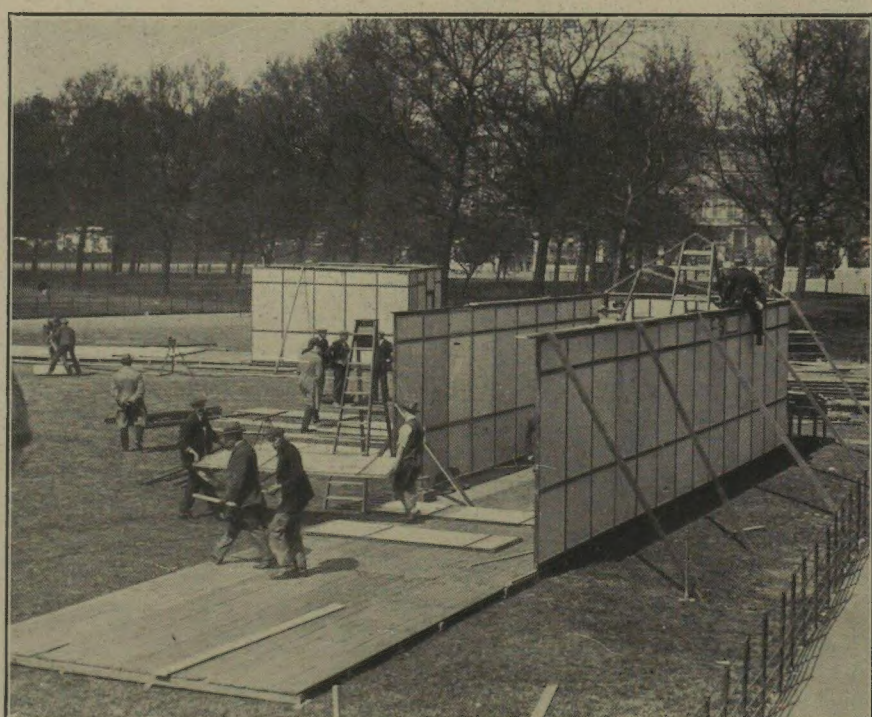
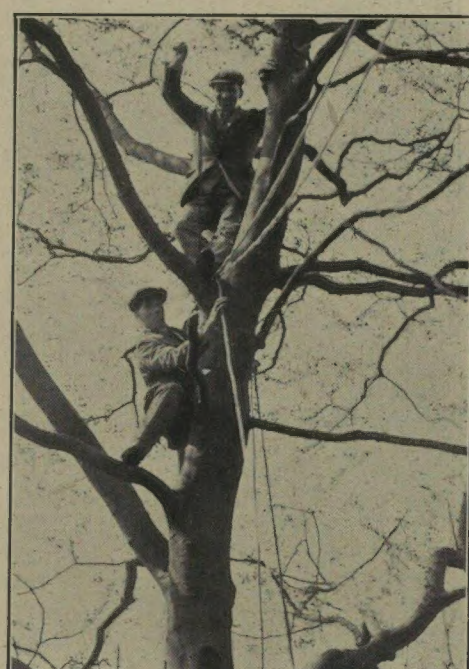
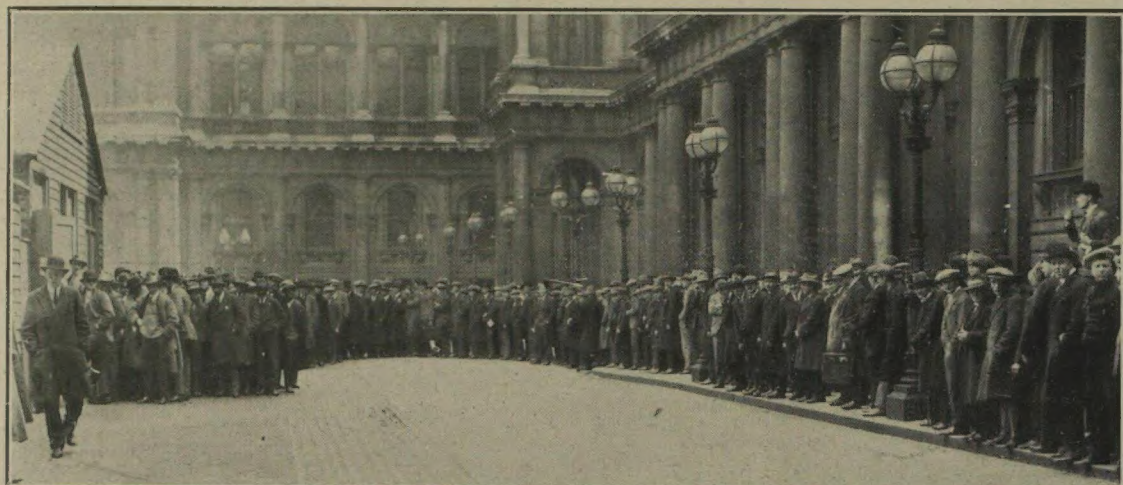


THE GREAT TREK TO WORK DURING THE GENERAL STRIKE: THE EMBANKMENT, WHERE — AS IN EVERY MAIN ARTERY — THE TRAFFIC WAS SO CONGESTED THAT CARS WERE PRACTICALLY TOUCHING ONE ANOTHER.

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THE GENERAL STRIKE : PREPARATIONS TO ENSURE FOOD-SUPPLY.

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(1) Hyde Park Closed to the Public and Used as a Food-Supply Depot : Pasting Route Directions on a London Milk-Lorry. — (2) Volunteers Offering to Help in the Maintenance of Food Supplies : A Queue at the Foreign Office. — (3) With the Coalfields Marked in Black : The Coal-Mining Areas. — (4) Arriving at Hyde Park, the Chief London Food-

Distribution Centre : Lorry-loads of Troops. — (5) Ensuring Communication between Hyde Park and Other Centres : G. P. O. Men at Work near the Marble Arch. — (6) Vehicles Destined for Use in the Distribution of Milk and Other Supplies : Lorries Arriving in Hyde Park. — (7) Accommodation for the Staff Engaged in Hyde Park : Erecting Huts.

GOVERNMENT LEADERS DURING THE STRIKE : MINISTERS AND COMMISSIONERS.

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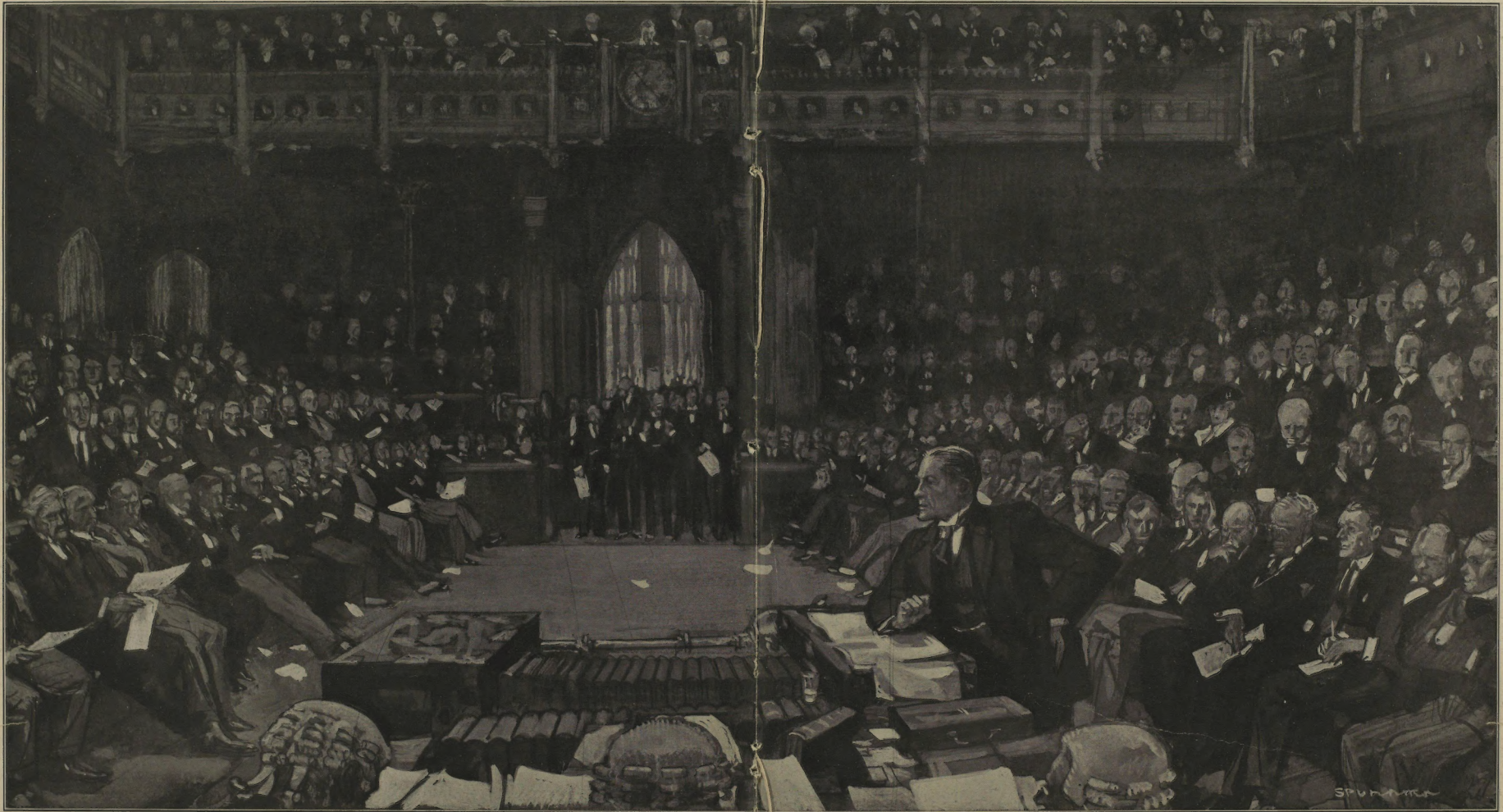


(1) Chief Civil Commissioner : Sir W. Mitchell-Thomson, Bt., M. P. — (2) Principal Chief Assistant Commissioner : Mr. A. B. Lowry. — (3) Civil Commissioner, London and Home Counties Division : Major W. Cope, M. P. — (4) Civil Commissioner, Eastern Division : Major Sir Philip Sassoon, Bt., M. P. — (5) Coal-owners' Representatives Leaving Downing Street : (Left to right) Messrs. W. A. Lee, Evan Williams, Edward Mann, and Guthrie. — (6) Civil Commissioner for the North Midland Division : Captain H. Douglas King, M. P. — (7) The Members of the Coal Commission : (Left to right) Mr. Kenneth Lee, Sir William

Beveridge, Sir Herbert Samuel, (Chairman), and Sir Herbert Lawrence. — (8) Minister of Labour : Sir Arthur Steel Maitland, Bt., M. P. — (9) Civil Commissioner, North-Western Division : Major G. Hennessy, M. P. — (10) Civil Commissioner, Midland Division : Lt. Col. the Hon. G. F. Stanley, M. P. — (11) Civil Commissioner, North-Eastern Division : Captain D. H. Hacking, M. P. — (12) Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Mines : Col. G. R. Lane-Fox, M. P. — (13) Civil Commissioner, South Midland Division : Major Earl Winterton, M. P. — (14) The Home Secretary : Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Bt., M. P.

THE GENERAL STRIKE : THE PRIME MINISTER MAKING HIS MOMENTOUS SPEECH ON MAY 3RD.

DRAWN BY STEVEN SPURRIER, R. O. I., THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS'S SPECIAL ARTIST IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.



JUSTIFYING THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY : MR. BALDWIN SPEAKING UPON THE EVENTS LEADING UP TO THE SITUATION AND EXPLAINING THE OFFICIAL MOVES AND INTENTIONS.

LEADERS OF LABOUR IN THE GENERAL STRIKE :

TRADES UNION OFFICIALS AND OTHER PERSONALITIES.

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TOPICAL KEYSTONE, AND ILLUS. BUREAU.



(1) General Secretary of the Transport and General Workers' Union : Mr. Ernest Bevin. — (2) General Secretary of the Railway Clerks' Association : Mr. A. G. Walkden. — (3) Labour Leaders : (Left to right) Messrs. Robert Shirkie (National Federation of Colliery Engineers), A. B. Swales, and A. J. Cook (Secretary, Miners' Federation). — (4) Secretary

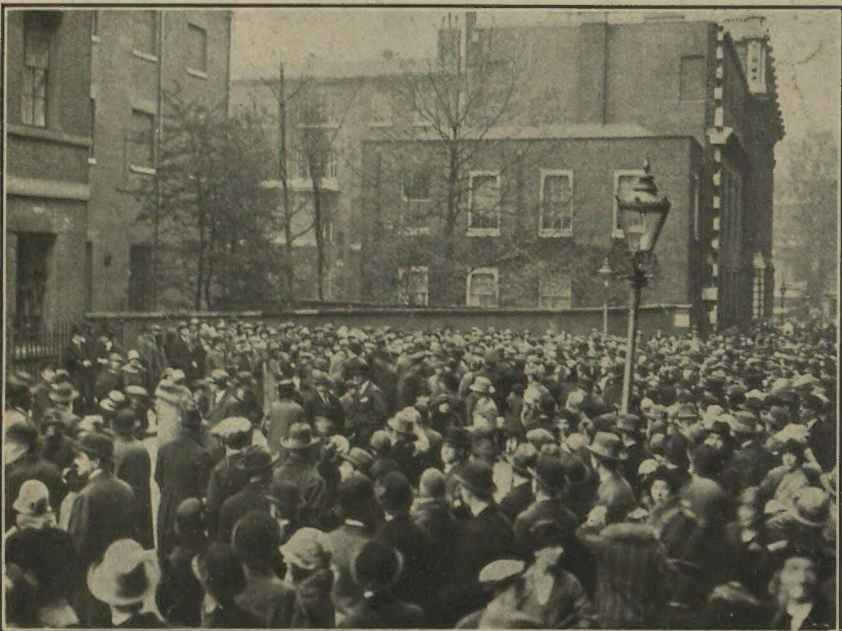
of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen : Mr. J. Bromley. — (5) President of the Iron and Steel Trades Federation : Mr. John Hodge. — (6) Secretary of the Miners' Federation : Mr. A. J. Cook. — (7) Labour Protagonists in Parliament : (Left to Right) Messrs. Arthur Henderson, Ramsay MacDonald (Leader of the Opposition),

and J. H. Thomas. — (8) President of the Building Trades Federation : Mr. Tom Barron. — (9) President of the Miners' Federation : Mr. Herbert Smith (left) with Messrs. W. P. Richardson and J. A. Parkinson, M. P. (right). — (10) A Well-known Labour M. P. : Mr. Will Thorne (left) with Mr. H. H. Elvin (Secretary, National Union of Clerks). — (11) In the

Chair at the Memorial Hall Conference of Trades Union Executives : Mr. Arthur Pugh, Chairman of the General Council of the Trades Union Congress. — (12) At Eccleston Square : Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, M. P. (left) and Mr. Arthur Henderson, M. P. (centre), with Miss Bondfield and Miss Quail, two Members of the T. U. C. General Council.

THE GENERAL STRIKE : HYDE PARK : MAY DAY : DOWNING STREET

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(1) Hyde Park Closed to the Public, for Use as a Food-Distributing Dépôt : Gas-workers Entering to Instal Lighting. — (2) Labour's London Procession on May Day : Passing along the Embankment. — (3) Interest in the Movements of Ministers : A Crowd in Downing Street. — (4) The Scene of the Fateful Trades Union Council Meeting : At the Memorial

Hall, Farringdon Street. — (5) Labour's May Day in London : Listening to the Open-Air Speakers in Hyde Park. — (6) Labour's May Day in the Provinces : Part of the Crowd at Nottingham.